

REVENUE SURVEY AND SETTLEMENT DEPT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 787.

The 9th December 1886.

Substitute the following for the dates fixed, in connection with the Settlement branch of the Survey Programme, published at page 516, Part II of the *Mysore Government Gazette*, dated 6th November 1886.

Mysore	February—March 1887.
Mulbagal	March—April 1887.
Chintamani	April—May 1887.

No. 789.

The 9th December 1886.

The services of Lieutenant-Colonel G. Mackenzie, Bombay Staff Corps, Assistant Settlement Officer, Mysore Revenue Survey, having been replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, his name ceased to be borne on the Mysore Revenue Survey with effect from the 1st November 1886.

J. P. GRANT,
Supt., Mysore Rev. Survey.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

COUNTERFEIT SILVER COINS.

Circular No. 1679, dated 7th December 1886.

District and Taluk Treasury Officers are reminded that agreeably to standing orders their returns of counterfeit silver coins, cut or broken, for the 12 months ending 31st December current, should be submitted to this Office early in January 1887 in the usual form.

The returns of the Taluks should be embodied as heretofore in those of the respective District Treasuries.

To—All Officers, Circular No. 1680, dated 9th December 1886.

The Comptroller has the honor to publish for general information the following Circular dated 3rd December 1886, issued by the Accountant General, Bombay, explaining the words "Actual Expense of keeping up Camp Equipage" used in Rule 1 of Section 27 of the Civil Travelling Allowance Code.

A. RANGASWAMIENGAR,
Comptroller.

Copy of Circular of Accountant General of Bombay.

Considerable misunderstanding appears to exist regarding the charges which are admissible under this rule. The following explanation is given with a view to assist officers in the preparation of their bills and to reduce the number of items disallowed in audit.

It empowers the Local Government to sanction the actual expense of maintaining "Camp Equipage" when it is necessary to do so, "Camp Equipage" being defined in the Code as "the apparatus for moving a Camp"; and the word "Camp", for the purpose of this rule, has been explained by the Government of India to include not merely tents but also tent furniture in the wide sense of "every thing necessary to an officer to enable him to live in Camp."

Accordingly under the rule as thus interpreted the hire of carts and the keep of bullocks or other animals if used solely for the transport of camp-kit of all kinds are admissible charges, but not the cost of means of transport for the officer himself nor the wages of his camp servants.